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WILMINGTON CONTRACTOR INDICTED ON TAX CHARGES

(Wilmington, DE) – Director of Revenue Patrick T. Carter announced today that the Grand Jury for the Superior Court in New Castle County returned a two-count indictment of tax fraud against a Wilmington contractor.

Wayne Salvadori, 50, was charged with two misdemeanor counts of failing to file a State of Delaware personal income tax return for the years 2006 and 2007. Salvadori did not file a tax return or pay taxes to the State of Delaware in either of these years.

An investigation conducted by the Division of Revenue's Criminal Investigation Unit showed that Salvadori, who operates a business out of his Wilmington residence under the name "Independent," willfully failed to file state personal income tax returns for the years 2006 and 2007, despite receiving substantial gross income in connection with his business.

According to investigators, Salvadori was previously indicted in September 2008 on two felony counts of home improvement fraud in connection with his contracting business after he received more than \$100,000 in payments for contracted work at two homes and then failed to complete the home improvements for which the funds were provided.

Investigators say they've received several complaints about Salvadori and suspect there are more victims out there.

Wayne Salvadori is presently wanted on the two felony counts of home improvement fraud.

The prosecution of Salvadori is the result of a joint effort between the Delaware Attorney General's Office and the Delaware Division of Revenue.

To offer information regarding his whereabouts, please contact Special Investigator David M. Smith directly at (302) 577-8958 or Delaware Crime Stoppers at (800) TIP-3333 or visit www.tipsubmit.com.